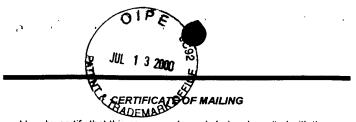
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE A RESPONSE

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants petition the Assistant Commissioner for Patents to extend the time to file a Response for three months from April 15, 2000, to July 15, 2000.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1155 in the amount of \$870.00 to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to this deposit account. This request is being submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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